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This week many others will join.  
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## THIS WEEK

Our Special Sale will be of China

We have only a few pieces left, and we shall  
close them out without regard to cost, you cannot  
afford to lose this opportunity. We have also a few  
pieces of Pottery, Jardinieres and Vases at the same  
rate.

Remember our offer of 25 Postal Cards, some  
worth 5c each, 2 for 5c and penny ones, now only  
10c for 25. This is to reduce our over stock and just  
like giving them away. Also a few boxes of Sta-  
tionery left at the reduced rates.

Very respectfully,

**GEO. C. LANG**

Graduate Watchmaker and Optician

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## PROSPERITY UNDER LOCAL OPTION

Vermont has prospered under the local option, perhaps  
not directly because of the law, but it is a fact that the state  
has gone forward instead of backwards.

Some of the friends of the old prohibitory law declared  
that the state would go backwards, that the farms would be  
abandoned and the money in the banks would go elsewhere;  
nothing of the kind happened under the local option law.

On the contrary, the savings banks shows that the peo-  
ple of the state have prospered and that the amount of  
money saved against a rainy day has grown steadily greater.

On June 30, 1915, the savings banks and trust com-  
panies of the state showed deposits amounting to \$95,469,-  
775.23, an increase over 1912, the last year of state-wide  
prohibition, of \$53,482,227.78, or a yearly average increase  
of \$4,456,652.32.

In the year 1915, the savings banks and trust companies  
paid into the state treasury in taxes \$662,701.98. In 1902,  
the last year under prohibition, this tax was only \$272,440.05.  
It is true that the state laws had been amended meanwhile,  
but the fact that the business of the savings banks and trust  
companies had increased enough to stand this tax is significant.

Possibly local option only affected this situation indirectly,  
but with the discarding of one obsolete and discarded  
law, other good laws were enacted.

The history of Vermont for the past 12 years has been  
one of steady progress. Why return to a condition which  
means reaction?

The Local Option League stands for Home Rule—for  
temperance under local control and influence. Why not let  
well enough alone?

**Local Option: A Temperance Measure**

Vermont Local Option League: Raymond Trainor, Secretary,  
White River Junction, Vt.

### Glaciers in Nebraska.

Many of the physical features of  
eastern Nebraska were produced by  
sheets of ice that invaded the region  
during and after the earlier stages of  
the great ice age. At the opening of  
the glacial epoch the great Keweenaw  
glacier spread southward and covered  
large parts of the Dakotas, Minnesota  
and Iowa and extended thence into  
eastern Nebraska, where it was prob-  
ably several hundred feet thick. This  
first stage of glaciation was brought  
to a close by the melting of the ice in  
a warmer interglacial time or stage—the  
Aftonian.

A remarkable assemblage of animals  
invaded the region after the ice had  
disappeared, and the bones and teeth  
of many of these animals have been  
found in the Aftonian deposits of  
western Iowa. The late Professor  
Sawall identified the remains of  
horses, camels, stags, elephants,  
mastodons, mammoths and sloths.  
When these animals lived in western  
Iowa the climate there must have been  
comparatively mild and vegetation  
very abundant.—Geological Survey Bul-  
letin.

### Trollope's Cigars.

Anthony Trollope prided himself on  
having reduced the writing of novels—  
and good novels—to something like a  
mechanical process, devoting to the  
work so many hours a day and timing  
himself to an output of so many words  
an hour. His advice to the literary  
aspirant was to glue himself to his  
seat and write, but he himself had an-  
other source of inspiration.

One wall of his library was devoted  
to rows of little cupboards or bins,  
each with a separate glass door and  
filled with cigars stacked across and  
across like timber to allow free cir-  
culation of air. A pointed stud in the  
wood above the door indicated the bin  
in use, and as soon as any one bin was  
emptied the stud was removed to be  
above the next door and the empty re-  
ceptacle refilled from the big chests  
which Trollope obtained straight from  
Havana.—London Saturday Review.

### What Kept Her From It.

"Have you ever thought of going on  
the stage?"  
"Yes, frequently."  
"What has kept you from doing so?"  
"The managers, the mean things!"—  
Chicago Herald.

### AN EMERSON PIANO, \$310.

Large size beautiful mahogany case,  
new and direct from the factory. We  
offer 20 of these pianos and only 20 at  
the above price on easy terms of \$10  
down and \$8 per month. This is the  
first time so low a price has been made  
on a large size Emerson piano and it  
will be the last. If you want to see  
how it looks send for a catalogue. We  
also offer for January several slightly  
used pianos, some not six months old,  
from \$115 to \$185. Great bargains.  
We can also send you catalogues of  
these. There are several different  
makes in the list. Address: Geo. D.  
Jarvis & Son, Burlington, Vt. Adv.

## STOMACH MISERY QUICKLY VANISHES

Your money back if you want it, is  
the way in which F. D. Pierce, the  
popular druggist, is selling Miso-na,  
the great dyspepsia remedy.  
This is an unusual plan, but Miso-na  
has so much merit and is so invari-  
ably successful in relieving all  
forms of indigestion that he risks a  
little risk in selling under a guarantee  
of this kind.

Do not be miserable or make your  
stomach miserable with your dyspep-  
sia. Miso-na will help you. If it  
doesn't, let F. D. Pierce refund your  
money. Your money back and he will  
carefully refund it.

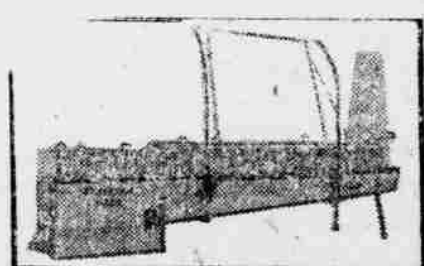
A change for the better will be seen  
from the first few doses of Miso-na  
and its continued use will soon put  
you on the road to perfect digestion  
and enjoyment of food.

Miso-na has been so uniformly suc-  
cessful that every box is sold under  
a positive guarantee to refund the  
money if it does not relieve. What  
fairer proposition could be made?

F. D. Pierce gives his personal  
guarantee of money back if you  
want it after every box of Miso-na  
that he sells. A guarantee like this  
speaks volumes for the merit of the  
remedy.

It is guaranteed in Orleans by  
F. J. Kinney.

## Sugar Tools



Have you placed your order for  
your Sap Buckets yet?

You can order them now and  
be sure of having your order filled.

A carload of Monarch Bucket  
Stock has just arrived and we are  
getting out the buckets just as fast  
as we can, but when this lot is gone  
it is hard telling when we can get  
more or what price we will have to  
pay.

Buy now and be safe.

**Monarch Evaporator Co.**

Newport, Vt.

## ALL THE ALBANYS

### ALBANY

Mrs. Abbie Burbank remains very  
ill.  
Mildred and Roland Stewart were  
quite sick last week.

Juline Rogers of Orleans visited  
friends in town last week.  
Don't forget the lecture by Dr. G.  
Whitfield Ray Thursday evening.

Several from this place attended the  
basket ball game at North Craftsbury  
Friday evening.  
Stephen Newson and May Mills at-  
tended the alumni banquet at North  
Craftsbury Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Pierce and  
daughter from Orleans visited at A. R.  
Miles and Charles Winget's.

The annual meeting and roll call of  
those Congregational churches will be  
held in the vestry Thursday afternoon,  
Jan. 13. Hope all the church members  
will endeavor to be there.

The ladies' social club met with Mrs.  
Angie Finn last Wednesday afternoon.  
A very interesting program of music  
and readings was furnished. Refresh-  
ments of cake and ice cream were  
served by the hostess. The next meet-  
ing will be a dinner with Mrs. A. C.  
Coney Wednesday, Jan. 21.

### SOUTH ALBANY

Walter Urie has gone to Burlington  
to take up a business course.

Robert Anderson of Springfield,  
Mass., was at home for the holidays.

Mrs. Ella Frasier is visiting her  
daughter, Mrs. Levi Lothrop of Or-  
leans.

## THE THREE CRAFTSBURYS

### CRAFTSBURY

The U. V. M. students returned to  
Burlington Tuesday.  
Most of the schools in this town  
commenced Monday.

Chicken pox has made its appear-  
ance in our community.

F. J. Glidden is suffering severely  
from sciatic rheumatism.  
Marjorie Wilson left Saturday for  
her work in Washington, D. C.

Leaffie King of Wolcott spent the  
week end with relatives in town.

The dance of Dec. 31 was fairly  
attended and all enjoyed a good time.

The attendance of Woodmen at their  
special service was small on account of  
the severe storm of Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Spaulding and children of  
St. Johnsbury, who have been spend-  
ing a few days with her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. W. P. Kaiser, returned to  
their home Saturday.

Howard E. Smith of Burlington,  
solicitor for the "Prison Monitor,"  
has been spending a few days in town.  
The Bowditch League invited him to  
speak on Prison education but a severe  
storm prevented. We hope to have  
him later.

### EAST CRAFTSBURY

Frank Calderwood is the new hired  
man at E. A. Dutton's.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wylie have a  
new son two weeks old.

Miss Elsie Merriam of Elmore spent  
New Year's day at Charles Wile's.

Eugene Gilbert has moved back to  
his farm on the river road in Crafts-  
bury.

The schools of the vicinity opened  
Monday after a two weeks' vacation.  
The teachers are the same as last  
term.

Miss Cora Curtis of Burlington  
arrived Saturday morning for a two  
days' visit with the family of Charles  
White.

Mrs. Mary E. Wylie left Tuesday  
for Cleveland, O., where she will  
spend the winter with her daughter  
and family.

Strickland W. Gillilan, the humor-  
ist, who was to lecture last Wednesday  
evening, failed to arrive. He reached  
Barton about 6:30 that evening and on

Mrs. F. M. Sears is quite ill.

S. E. Clough remains quite ill.

Harley Page is in Burlington attend-  
ing the dairy school.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs.  
Joseph Besaw, Dec. 29.

Preston Webster is in South Albany  
wiring houses for electric lights.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Goss spent the  
past week at their farm in Coventry.

Miss Alice Laclair of Lowell visited  
her aunt, Mrs. T. C. Fisher, last week.

A daughter, Barbara Gertrude, was  
born to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lanou Jan.  
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Miss Adene Collins of Orleans spent  
several days with Mr. and Mrs. Page,  
last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Metcalf spent  
the first of the week with her mother  
in Newport Center.

Miss Marion Holbrook has returned  
from a visit of several weeks with  
friends in Acot, P. Q.

Ernest Blanchard of Lowell and  
George Leclair of Enosburg visited  
relatives in town last week.

Master Eben Boright of West Derby  
spent the past week with his grand-  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Phillips.

G. W. Phillips was in Barton Tues-  
day to attend the annual meeting of  
the stockholders of the Orleans County  
fair.

Misses Verna and Doris Sears did  
not return to their school in Johnson  
Monday owing to the illness of their  
mother.

A masquerade promenade and box  
party will be held in the town hall, ex-  
actly Friday evening. The Irasburg band  
will furnish music.

Leo Williams, who is a student in U.  
V. M., was at home for the holiday  
season.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Lothrop of Or-  
leans were recent visitors at J. G.  
Martin's.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Courser and  
family spent Christmas at Will  
Courser's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vance and little  
son spent Tuesday at S. T. Vance's in  
West Glover.

No services have been held in the U.  
V. church for two Sundays on account  
of the storms.

Several from here attended the  
alumni banquet held at North Crafts-  
bury Tuesday evening of last week.

J. H. Gilmour of West Newton,  
Mass., has been spending his vacation  
with his sister, Mrs. Clyde Eldridge.

Alvan Mier, who has been spend-  
ing the holiday vacation at his home here,  
has returned to his school duties in  
Randolph.

Miss Ellen Comer, who has been  
confined to the house on account of an  
injury to her ankle, is very much  
improved.

Mrs. Sarah Anderson, Ora Anderson,  
Mrs. Belle Rowell and H. D. Rowell  
were among the number who spent  
Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. James  
Anderson at East Craftsbury.

Mrs. Elmer Douglass, who was  
called to St. Albans by the death of  
her brother, has returned home. She  
spent a few days with her sister, Mrs.  
Edgar Farr, of Jeffersonville.

finding heavy roads for a thirteen mile  
drive, caused by five inches of new  
snow, which would make it impossible  
for him to catch the midnight train to  
reach his next appointment, he decided  
to omit this number.

### NORTH CRAFTSBURY

Mrs. A. B. Larabee is quite ill with  
grip.

Miss Lilla Larabee has returned to  
New York.

C. B. Cole is able to be out again  
after his illness.

Lee Cowles has returned to his busi-  
ness in Bridgeport, Conn.

Miss Blanche Silver is home from  
school ill with neuralgia.

Edmund Root has returned to U. V.  
M. after his short vacation.

E. A. Pike is in the lower part of  
the state doing a plumbing job.

The grade school opened Monday  
morning with its usual attendance.

H. N. Stevens was a business visitor  
in St. Johnsbury the last of the week.

Miss Dorla Gallagher and her friend,  
Miss Galan, have returned to Burling-  
ton.

A. B. Pike was called to Irasburg  
Tuesday on account of the death of his  
aunt.

Miss Vera Larabee has gone to  
Montpelier to continue her musical  
education.

The annual roll call and church din-  
ner at the Congregational church will  
be Saturday.

Mrs. Sadie Cowles has come to John-  
ston to care for a cousin, Mrs. Holmes,  
who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. W. Tiffney, both  
well known here.

The amateur dramatists of the Caspian  
Lake Grange are to give a play  
entitled, "The Deacon," Tuesday even-  
ing in the town hall.

The lecture by G. Whitefield Ray  
Tuesday evening was well attended.  
The subject was, "Through Five Re-  
publics on Horseback."

Principal Eliot of the East Boston  
Grammar school was in town for the  
greater part of last week and did  
considerable fishing on Long pond.

Mrs. J. H. Haines and Mrs. John  
Barrington attended the annual meet-  
ing of the Congregational church in  
Cabot Saturday, that being their home  
church.

The next meeting of the Caspian  
Lake Grange will be held Thursday  
evening, Jan. 13. At this meeting the  
officers for the coming year will be  
installed.

Miss A. W. Colton, after a visit over  
the holidays at the home of her neph-  
ew, Norwood Drown, returned to Dan-  
vers, Mass., Saturday, where she is a  
teacher in the public schools.

The annual meeting of the society  
connected with the Congregational  
church was held Tuesday evening, Dec.  
28th, and the finances of the parish  
were reported in good condition.

John A. King and son, who recently  
bought the wood-working and wheel-  
wright shop of Marsh & Gregory in  
Hardwick, took possession of the prop-  
erty January 1, and will give it their  
entire attention.

Notwithstanding the stormy weather  
Sunday, there were 40 present at the  
morning service of the Congregational  
church. Nine members were taken  
in on membership at this service. The  
annual meeting is to be held Thursday,  
Jan. 13th with dinner for all connected  
with the parish at noon.

The Greensboro Cornet band gave a  
very successful concert and dance in the  
town hall Saturday evening, about 250  
attending. Two piano duets by Grace  
and Bessie Fairbanks added to the  
musical pleasure of the evening.  
\$17.65 was cleared and will be used for  
the necessary expenses of the young  
band.

The annual business meeting of the  
United Presbyterian church was held  
New Year's day at the church. Din-  
ner was served at noon and the busi-  
ness meeting was held in the after-  
noon. Payson Morse acted as modera-  
tor of the meeting and the following  
officers were elected for the coming  
year: H. W. Gillis, clerk; J. D.  
Wilson, treasurer; George Wile and  
Payson Morse, collectors; Elwin Eason,  
George Wile and Payson Morse, board  
of directors; Elwin Eason and Irwin  
Wilson, auditors; Miss Bessie Silver  
and Mrs. Payson Morse, press commit-  
tee.

The annual meeting of Fire District  
No. 1 of Greensboro was held in the

Men in great place are thrice  
servants—servants of the govern-  
ment, servants of state, servants of fame  
and servants of business.—Bacon.

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## GLOVER GLEANINGS

### GLOVER

Mrs. Aden Phillips is quite ill.  
Mrs. King's family are quarantined  
for scarlet fever.

The children at Noble Clark's have  
been having chicken pox.  
Mrs. Edwin Alexander, who has  
been quite ill, is much improved.

Mrs. Nellie Colby and son from Len-  
noxville have been visiting in town.

Chester Sherburne suffered an attack  
of apoplexy Saturday and is very low.

Mrs. E. T. McLellan has been spend-  
ing two weeks with her son at Lyndon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cusson and  
daughter, Florence, are visiting in  
Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mathie spent  
Christmas at Frank McLean's at  
Lyndon.

Ray Wolcott, who has been at home  
for the holiday vacation, has returned  
to his school.

Phil Davis returned to his school at  
Burlington Tuesday, stopping at Lyn-  
donville on the way.

Harris Drew, who has been seriously  
ill from the effects of an abscess under  
his arm, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith of Hard-  
wick visited at N. H. Drew's, and at  
Harris Drew's recently.

Mrs. Henry Stone has gone to Albany  
for a few days, called there by the  
death of her step father, Mr. Flanders.

The supper which was to have been  
given by the men on Friday evening  
has been postponed on account of sick-  
ness.

Mrs. Mary Cobb came from Lyndon-  
ville Saturday to attend the wedding  
reception of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Davis,  
and returned Monday.

Phil Davis and Miss Hazel Cook  
were married at the parsonage at  
Barton by Rev. W. A. Warner on the  
evening of Dec. 31. They were ac-  
companied by Ray Wolcott and Miss  
Alice Dexter.

Mrs. Ella Leonard, Mrs. Cora Camp-  
bell, Mrs. Rose Kendrick, Mrs. Mattie  
Tenen and Miss Hattie Sherburne and  
Frank Sherburne all came home Sat-  
urday because of the illness of their  
father, Chester Sherburne.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Phil  
Davis to the number of 60 assembled at  
the home of the bride's parents on the  
eve of Jan. 1st, to congratulate the  
newly married pair. Beautiful gifts of  
silver, china, linen and a sum of money  
were presented them and a delightful  
evening was spent.

### WEST GLOVER

The M. W. A. met at E. C. Baker's  
last week.

Charles Garvin spent last week with  
his grandparents here.

Alec Magoon has moved to the place  
he bought of Mr. Glover.

Miss Hamel spent Saturday and  
Sunday with relatives in Albany.

Mr. Tyler has moved his family into  
rooms over the blacksmith shop.

The young folks enjoyed the social  
held Thursday evening at the hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Barber spent  
New Year's with their daughter, Mrs.  
Ruby Garvin.

George Young visited relatives in  
Lowell Thursday. Clarence Young  
visited relatives in Irasburg.

Gladys Cameron has returned to  
Lyndon where she is teaching, and  
Bruce Buchanan to U. V. M.

## THE GREENSBOROS